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Crop Overview

Arizona's Durum wheat planted area is estimated at 100,000 acres, up 20,000 acres from 2011. Growers are expected to harvest 99,000 acres for grain. Other wheat planted area is estimated at 9,000 acres, up 2,000 acres from a year ago. Growers intend to harvest 7,000 acres for grain. The 45,000 acres planted to barley is down 20,000 acres from last year's crop. Barley area harvested for grain is estimated at 43,000 acres.

Corn planted for all purposes is estimated at 65,000 acres, up 10,000 acres from last year. Area harvested for grain is set at 40,000 acres. Sorghum planted for all purposes is estimated at 30,000 acres, up

8,000 acres from 2011. Area harvested for grain is set at 15,000 acres, up 9,000 acres from a year ago.

Arizona alfalfa hay harvested area is estimated at 250,000 acres, equal to last year. All other hay area to be harvested is estimated at 40,000 acres, up 5,000 acres from a year ago.

Acreage planted to upland cotton is estimated at 200,000, down 50,000 acres from last year. American-Pima planted area, at 4,000 acres, is down 6,000 acres from 2011. Area devoted to dry edible beans is estimated at 9,000 acres for 2012, up 500 acres last year.

Area Harvested, Yield, and Production, Arizona and United States, 2011 and Forecasted July 1, 2012

Crop	Unit	Arizona		United States	
		2011	2012	2011	2012
Durum Wheat					
Planted	1,000 acres	80	100	1,369	2,203
Harvested	1,000 acres	79	99	1,312	2,122
Yield per acre	bushels	101.0	110.0	38.5	38.6
Production	1,000 bushels	7,979	10,890	50,482	81,960
Winter Wheat 1/					
Planted	1,000 acres	7	9	40,646	41,819
Harvested	1,000 acres	6	7	32,314	35,023
Yield per acre	bushels	70.0	1/	46.2	47.7
Production	1,000 bushels	420	1/	1,493,677	1,670,346
Barley					
Planted	1,000 acres	65	45	2,559	3,678
Harvested	1,000 acres	64	43	2,239	3,268
Yield per acre	bushels	125.0	120.0	69.6	66.3
Production	1,000 bushels	8,000	5,160	155,780	216,690
Corn					
Planted	1,000 acres	55	65	91,921	96,405
Harvested for grain	1,000 acres	32	40	83,981	88,851
Sorghum					
Planted	1,000 acres	22	30	5,481	6,210
Harvested for grain	1,000 acres	6	15	3,929	5,238
Alfalfa					
Harvested	1,000 acres	250	250	19,213	18,827
Other Hay					
Harvested	1,000 acres	35	40	36,420	38,842
Dry Edible Beans					
Planted	1,000 acres	8.5	9.0	1,205.9	1,632.7
Harvested	1,000 acres	8.2	9.0	1,155.9	1,573.6
Upland Cotton					
Planted	1,000 acres	250.0	200.0	14,428.0	12,400.0
American Pima Cotton					
Planted	1,000 acres	10.0	4.0	307.4	235.0

1/ For Arizona, wheat other than Durum; 2012 production is included with other States, will be published in "Small Grains 2012 Summary."

Cotton: Area Planted and Harvested by Type, State and United States, 2011 and 2012 1/

Type and State	Area Planted		Area Harvested 2011
	2011	2012	
Upland			
AL	460.0	390.0	443.0
AZ	250.0	200.0	248.0
AR	680.0	580.0	660.0
CA	182.0	150.0	181.0
FL	122.0	115.0	118.0
GA	1,600.0	1,250.0	1,495.0
KS	80.0	55.0	65.0
LA	295.0	230.0	290.0
MS	630.0	580.0	605.0
MO	375.0	375.0	367.0
NM	70.0	50.0	58.0
NC	805.0	550.0	800.0
OK	415.0	330.0	70.0
SC	303.0	280.0	301.0
TN	495.0	380.0	490.0
TX	7,550.0	6,800.0	2,850.0
VA	116.0	85.0	115.0
US	14,428.0	12,400.0	9,156.0
American Pima			
AZ	10.0	4.0	10.0
CA	274.0	215.0	273.0
NM	3.4	3.0	3.4
TX	20.0	13.0	18.5
US	307.4	235.0	304.9
All Cotton			
US	14,735.4	12,635.0	9,460.9

1/ 2012 area for harvest will be released August 10, 2012.

All Orange Production Up Slightly From June

The United States all orange forecast for the 2011-2012 season is 8.97 million tons, up slightly from the June 1 forecast and 1 percent above the 2010-2011 final utilization. The Florida all orange forecast, at 147 million boxes (6.59 million tons), is up slightly from the June 1 forecast and up 4 percent from last season's final utilization. Early, midseason, and Navel varieties in Florida are forecast at 74.2 million boxes (3.34 million tons), unchanged from the June 1 forecast but up 6 percent from last season. The Florida Valencia orange forecast, at 72.3 million boxes (3.25 million tons), is up slightly from the June 1 forecast and up 3 percent from the 2010-2011 crop. Harvesting of Valencia oranges in Florida was complete. Drought conditions were all but eliminated during June due to significant rainfall from Tropical Storm Debby.

All orange production in California is forecast at 58.0 million boxes (2.32 million tons), down 7 percent from last season. Harvest of Valencia oranges and lemons continued. Harvest of late navel oranges was nearly complete. Texas orange production is forecast at 1.42 million boxes (60,000 tons), 28 percent lower than last season.

Arizona's 2011-2012 lemon production is forecast at 750 thousand boxes, down 70 percent from last season. The United States lemon production is forecast at 20.8 million boxes, down 10 percent from the 2010-2011 season.

Arizona tangerine/tangelo production for the 2011-2012 season is forecast at 200,000 boxes, 100,000 boxes less than the previous season. Total United States tangerine production is forecast at 15.4 million boxes.

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August 10 Crop Production

U.S. Grain Stocks

Old crop durum wheat stocks in all positions on June 1, 2012 totaled 25.6 million bushels, down 28 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks, at 15.2 million bushels, are down 31 percent from June 1, 2011. Off-farm stocks totaled 10.4 million bushels, down 22 percent from a year ago. The March - May 2012 indicated disappearance of 10.2 million bushels is down 51 percent from the same period a year earlier.

Corn stocks in all positions on June 1, 2012 totaled 3.15 billion bushels, down 14 percent from June 1, 2011. Of the total stocks, 1.48 billion bushels are stored on farms, down 12 percent from a year earlier. Off-farm stocks, at 1.67 billion bushels, are down 16 percent from a year ago. The March - May 2012 indicated disappearance is 2.87 billion bushels, compared with 2.85 billion bushels during the same period last year.

Old crop all wheat stored in all positions on June 1, 2012 totaled 743 million bushels, down 14 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks are estimated at 112 million bushels, down 14 percent from last year. Off-farm stocks, at 631 million bushels, are down 14 percent from a year ago. The March - May 2012 indicated disappearance is 457 million bushels, down 19 percent from the same period a year earlier.

Old crop barley stocks in all positions on June 1, 2012 totaled 60.1 million bushels, down 33 percent from June 1, 2011. On-farm stocks are estimated at 9.67 million bushels, 63 percent below a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 50.4 million bushels, are 20 percent below June 1, 2011. The March - May 2012 indicated disappearance is 33.7 million bushels, 31 percent below the same period a year earlier.

Apples, Commercial: Total and Utilized Production, Price, and Value by State and United States, 2010-2011

State	Total Production		Utilized Production		Price Per Pound		Value of Utilized Production	
	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011
	Million Pounds				Dollars		1,000 Dollars	
AZ	17.0	11.0	17.0	11.0	0.179	0.241	3,048	2,647
CA	280.0	280.0	280.0	270.0	0.207	0.215	57,820	57,975
CO	14.0	9.0	14.0	8.0	0.216	0.293	3,020	2,340
CT	23.0	22.0	22.0	19.5	0.539	0.539	11,853	10,507
ID	60.0	60.0	60.0	60.0	0.232	0.239	13,910	14,350
IL	52.0	40.0	43.0	33.0	0.617	0.575	26,548	18,989
IN	26.0	20.0	24.0	18.0	0.403	0.398	9,672	7,166
IA	3.8	4.0	3.1	3.3	0.719	0.663	2,228	2,187
ME	31.0	29.0	29.0	22.5	0.461	0.474	13,371	10,676
MD	42.5	40.0	42.0	39.0	0.182	0.259	7,650	10,115
MA	37.0	38.5	34.0	36.0	0.57	0.603	19,366	21,690
MI	570.0	985.0	570.0	980.0	0.181	0.199	103,375	194,700
MN	19.0	23.5	15.8	19.4	0.796	0.814	12,571	15,796
MS	33.0	15.0	32.0	14.0	0.301	0.313	9,635	4,379
NH	21.0	18.0	19.5	17.0	0.463	0.505	9,036	8,588
NJ	43.0	36.0	42.0	35.0	0.48	0.672	20,180	23,505
NY	1,270.0	1,220.0	1,260.0	1,210.0	0.179	0.208	225,855	251,470
NC	136.0	140.0	134.0	140.0	0.185	0.192	24,793	26,863
OH	83.2	66.6	71.7	59.4	0.383	0.367	27,426	21,808
OR	120.0	92.5	120.0	90.0	0.224	0.221	26,855	19,861
PA	492.0	458.0	473.0	439.0	0.158	0.182	74,896	79,739
RI	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.2	0.82	0.793	2,050	1,745
TN	7.5	8.5	6.8	8.2	0.305	0.279	2,076	2,290
UT	12.0	19.0	11.7	18.3	0.25	0.222	2,928	4,054
VT	35.0	33.5	33.0	26.5	0.309	0.304	10,210	8,044
VA	200.0	220.0	200.0	220.0	0.154	0.182	30,760	40,055
WA	5,550.0	5,410.0	5,550.0	5,410.0	0.278	0.338	1,541,420	1,831,165
WV	64.0	67.0	61.0	65.0	0.144	0.175	8,797	11,371
WI	37.0	51.4	31.9	38.7	0.516	0.485	16,474	18,751
US	9,281.6	9,420.0	9,203.0	9,313.0	0.252	0.292	2,317,823	2,722,826

Pecans: Utilized Production, Price, and Value by State and United States, 2010-2011

State	Utilized Production		Price Per Pound		Value of Production	
	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011
	1,000 Pounds		Dollars		1,000 Dollars	
AL	5,000	19,000	1.690	1.670	8,465	31,650
AZ	22,000	18,500	2.800	2.800	61,600	51,800
AR	1,100	2,500	1.890	1.790	2,078	4,470
CA	5,700	3,700	2.540	2.670	14,478	9,879
FL	1,500	4,000	1.740	1.560	2,610	6,230
GA	75,000	102,000	2.170	2.590	162,500	264,600
KS	3,000	1,500	1.750	1.800	5,250	2,700
LA	20,000	10,000	1.460	1.600	29,275	16,000
MS	2,100	5,000	1.430	1.670	3,010	8,360
MO	840	1,500	1.730	1.770	1,452	2,654
NM	66,000	61,000	2.830	2.670	186,780	162,870
OK	20,000	6,000	1.790	1.900	35,700	11,400
SC	1,500	3,000	1.750	1.790	2,630	5,376
TX	70,000	32,000	2.270	2.430	159,000	77,900
US	293,740	269,700	2.300	2.430	674,828	655,889

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June Farm Prices Received Index Increased 3 Points

The preliminary All Farm Products Index of Prices Received by Farmers in June, at 181 percent, based on 1990-1992=100, increased 3 points (1.7 percent) from May. The Crop Index is up 2 points (1.0 percent) and the Livestock Index increased 1 point (0.7 percent). Producers received higher prices for hogs, oranges, eggs, and broccoli and lower prices for hay, corn, soybeans, and broilers. In addition to prices, the overall index is also affected by the seasonal change based on a 3-year average mix of commodities producers sell. Increased monthly movement of wheat and hay offset the decreased marketing of oranges, corn, cattle, and strawberries.

The preliminary All Farm Products Index is up 1 point (0.6 percent) from June 2012. The Food Commodities Index, at 170, increased 4 points (2.4 percent) from last month but decreased 1 point (0.6 percent) from June 2012.

Prices Paid Index Unchanged

The June Index of Prices Paid for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW) is 215 percent of the 1990-1992 average. The index is unchanged from May but 12 points (5.9 percent) above June 2012. Higher prices in June for complete feeds, concentrates, nitrogen, and supplements offset lower prices for diesel, hay & forages, LP gas, and gasoline.

Prices Received by Farmers: Arizona and United States, June 2012 and 2012 and May 2012

Commodity	Unit	Arizona		
		June-11 Entire Month	May-12 Entire Month	June-12 Mid- Month
Upland Cotton	\$ Lb	1/	1/	1/
Durum Wheat	\$ Bu	8.13	1/	1/
Alfalfa Hay 2/	\$ Ton	230.00	255.00	245.00
All Milk 3/	\$ Cwt	21.00	15.40	14.90

Commodity	Unit	United States		
Upland Cotton	\$ Lb	0.833	0.846	0.831
Durum Wheat	\$ Bu	9.18	8.95	9.04
Alfalfa Hay 2/	\$ Ton	180.00	215.00	201.00
Cows 4/	\$ Cwt	75.90	87.70	86.80
Steers & Heifers	\$ Cwt	110.00	125.00	125.00
Beef Cattle 5/	\$ Cwt	107.00	122.00	122.00
Calves	\$ Cwt	133.00	176.00	171.00
All Milk 3/	\$ Cwt	21.10	16.20	16.10

1/ Prices not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations or insufficient sales.

2/ Mid-month.

3/ Preliminary; before deductions for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies

4/ Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter.

5/ "Cows" and "steers and heifers" combined.

United States Price Index Summary Table

	2012	2012	
	June	May	June
Index 1990-92 = 100			
Prices Received	180	178	181
Prices Paid	203	215	215
Ratio 1/	89	83	84

1/ Ratio of index prices received by farmers to index of prices paid by farmers.